26CF-253 AMB

Marsy's Law CVI

ARREST / NOTICE TO APPEAR

Check if Supplement is Attached

1 Arrest 3 Request for Warrant 2 N.T.A. 4 Request for Capias

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Juvenile

ADMINISTRATIVE

OBTS Number

Agency ORI Number: 0501700

Agency Name: Jupiter Police Department

Agency Report Number (N.T.A. only): 54 26-000133

Charge Type (Check as many as apply): ☒ 1 Felony ☒ 3 Misdemeanor ☐ 5 Ordinance ☐ 2 Traffic Felony ☐ 4 Traffic Misdemeanor ☐ 6 Other

If Weapon Seized: Enter Type: UNARMED

Multiple Charges Indicator

Location of Arrest (Including Name of Business): 3900 E INDIANTOWN RD, JUPITER, FL 33477

Location of Offense (Use Rules) (Name, Address): 100 ADMIRALS COVE BLVD, JUPITER, FL 33477

Date of Arrest: 01/11/2026

Time of Arrest: 21:47

Booking Date

Booking Time

Jail Date

Jail Time

Location of Vehicle

DEFENDANT

Name (Last, First, Middle): MEANEY, MELINDA A

Alias, Maiden, Dodge, Soc. Sec. #, Etc.:

Alias.

Race (W - White, B - Black, I - American Indian, A - Chinese or Other Asian)	Sex	Date of Birth	Height	Weight	Eye Color	Hair Color	Complexion	Build
W	F	07/31/1970	5'07	120	BLUE	BLONDE /	LIGHT	SMALL

Scars, Marks, Tattoos, Unique Physical Features (Location, Type, Description):

Marital Status: S

Religion: CATHOLIC

Appearance of: Alcohol Influence ☒ Y ☐ N; Drug Influence ☐ Y ☒ N ☐ U

Local Address (Street, Apt. Number, City, State, Zip): 3202 BRIDLEWOOD DR, GLEN MILLS, PA 19342

Middle Phone

Residence Type: 1 City 2 Rural 3 Suburb 4 Out of State

Permanent Address (Street, Apt. Number, City, State, Zip): 3202 BRIDLEWOOD DR, GLEN MILLS, PA 19342

Phone

Address Source

Business Address (Name, Street, City, State, Zip)

Phone

Occupation

DL Number, State: 22167839 / PA

Soc. Sec. Number: [redacted]

FBI Number

Place of Birth (City, State): PENNSYLVANIA, PA, United

Citizenship: US

CO-DEF

Co-Defendant Name (Last, First, Middle)

Race | Sex | Date of Birth | ☐ 1 Arrested ☐ 2 At Large | ☐ 3 Felony ☐ 4 Misdemeanor ☐ 5 Juvenile

Co-Defendant Name (Last, First, Middle)

Race | Sex | Date of Birth | ☐ 1 Arrested ☐ 2 At Large | ☐ 3 Felony ☐ 4 Misdemeanor ☐ 5 Juvenile

JUVENILE

☐ Parent ☐ Legal Custodian ☐ Other

Name (Last, First, Middle): (1) NO BOND X2

Residence Phone

Address (Street, Apt. Number, City, State, Zip): (2) 4000

Business Phone

Notified by (Name): (3) 250

Date

Time

Juvenile Disposition: 1 Handled/Processed within Dept. and Released 2 TOT HRS/DYS 3 Incarcerated

Released To (Name): (4) NO BOND

Relationship

Date

Time

The above address was given by: ☐ Defendant ☐ Co-Defendant ☐ Parent/Legal Custodian to keep the Juvenile Out of Sight (Parent Refused to Release Juvenile) ☐ Yes ☐ No (Reason)

☐ Yes, by (Name)

Arrest Affidavit

Grade

Property Crime: ☐ Yes ☒ No

Description of Property

Value of Property

CODE

Drug Activity: N N/A P Possess S Sell B Buy T Traffic M Manufacture D Deliver E Cultivate

Drug Type: 1 Cocaine 2 Opium/Opiate 3 Heroin 4 Hallucinogen 5 Marijuana 6 Equipment 7 Paraphernalia 8 Synthetic 9 Other

CHARGE

Charge Description: BATTERY - ON OFFICER, FIREFIGHTER, EMT ETC.

Counts: 2

Domestic Violence: ☐ Y ☒ N

Statute / Statute Number: 784.07(2)(B)

Violation of PRL #

Drug Activity: N

Drug Type

Amount / Unit

Offense #: 26000133

Warrant / Capias Number

Bond

CHARGE

Charge Description: DUI - NORMAL FACULTIES IMPAIRED

Counts: 1

Domestic Violence: ☐ Y ☒ N

Statute / Statute Number: 316.193(1)(A)

Violation of PRL #

Drug Activity: N

Drug Type

Amount / Unit

Offense #: 26000133

Warrant / Capias Number

Bond

CHARGE

Charge Description: DISORDERLY CONDUCT - DISORDERLY INTOXICATION

Counts: 1

Domestic Violence: ☐ Y ☒ N

Statute / Violation Number: 856.011

Violation of PRL #

Drug Activity: N

Drug Type

Amount / Unit

Offense #: 26000133

Warrant / Capias Number

Bond

CHARGE

Charge Description: RESIST OFFICER WITH VIOLENCE

Counts: 1

Domestic Violence: ☐ Y ☒ N

Statute / Violation Number: 843.01

Violation of PRL #

Drug Activity: N

Drug Type

Amount / Unit

Offense #: 26000133

Warrant / Capias Number

Bond

NOTICE TO APPEAR

Location (Court, Room Number, Address)

Court Date and Time: Month Day Year Time A.M. P.M.

I AGREE TO APPEAR AT THE TIME AND PLACE ESTABLISHED BY THE UNDER THE OFFENSE CHARGED. I FULLY UNDERSTAND THAT SHOULD I FAIL TO APPEAR BEFORE THE COURT AS REQUIRED BY THIS NOTICE TO APPEAR, THAT I MAY BE HELD IN CONTEMPT OF COURT AND A WARRANT FOR MY ARREST SHALL BE ISSUED.

Signature of Defendant (or Juvenile and Parent/Custodian)

Date Signed

I consent to receive text reminders of court date(s) and times for this case via automated technology to the mobile number identified above.

I understand that standard text message rates may apply and that I can revoke my consent via the text message system at any time.

Signature

ADMIN

HOLD for Other Agency

☐ Dangerous ☐ Resisted Arrest ☐ Suicidal ☐ Other

Intake Deputy: M Howell 7106 ID #

Booking #

Signature of Arresting Officer: [signature]

Name of Arresting Officer: RICCI, MATTHEW ID #: 1277

Transporting Officer: Calder ID #: 1290 Agency: JPD

Name, Relationship, Phone Number of Person Defendant Released To

Witness name if subject signed with an "X"

SCANNED JAN 12 2026

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☐ COURT ☐ STATE ATTORNEY ☐ AGENCY ☐ DEFENDANT RECORDS ☒ JAIL ☐ CRIME ANALYSIS ☐ P.I.O. ☐ DEFENDANT

S. Calder 1290

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PROBABLE CAUSE AFFIDAVIT

1 Arrest 3 Request for Warrant
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1 JUVENILE

ADMIN

OBTS Number

Agency ORI Number	Agency Name	Agency Report Number
FL FL0501700	JUPITER POLICE DEPARTMENT	5 4 26-000133

Charge Type (Check as many as apply): [X] 1 Felony [X] 3 Misdemeanor [ ] 5 Ordinance [ ] 2 Traffic Felony [ ] 4 Traffic Misdemeanor [ ] 6 Other

Special Notes:

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Name (Last, First, Middle)	Alias	Race	Sex	Date of Birth
MEANEY, MELINDA A		W	F	07/31/1970

CHARGES

Charge Description	Charge Description
784.07(2)(B) BATTERY - ON OFFICER, FIREFIGHTER, EMT ETC.	843.01 RESIST OFFICER WITH VIOLENCE
Charge Description: 316.193(1)(A) DUI - NORMAL FACULTIES IMPAIRED	Charge Description: 856.011 DISORDERLY CONDUCT - DISORDERLY INTOXICAT

VICTIM

Victim's Name (Last, First, Middle)	Race	Sex	Date of Birth
State Of Florida			

Local Address (Street, Apt. Number, City, State, ZIP)	Phone	Address Source
Business Address (Name, Street, City, State, ZIP)	**Phone**	**Occupation**

PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT

The undersigned certifies and swears that he/she has just and reasonable grounds to believe and does believe that the above named Defendant committed the following act(s), all in

The Person taken into Custody

[X] committed the below acts in my presence
[ ] confessed to _____ admitting to the below facts.
[ ] was observed by _____ who told _____ that he/she saw the arrested person commit the below acts.
[X] was found to have committed the below acts, resulting from my (described) investigation.

On the 11 day of January 2026 at 21:47 (Specifically include facts constituting cause for arrest.)

On January 11th, 2026, at approximately 2108 hours, I was dispatched to 100 Admirals Cove Blvd, Jupiter, FL 33477, in reference to a white female, who was in a brown Jeep bearing WV Tag (#8UM328) and refused to leave Admirals Cove.

Admirals Cove Security called 9-1-1 and notified Northcom of the ongoing incident and advised they believe the white female was intoxicated and drove the Jeep recklessly through the gate and continued northbound on S.R. 811 (Alt A1A), Jupiter, FL 33477. I was traveling southbound on S.R. 811 from the intersection of S.R. 706 (E Indiantown Rd) in my fully marked patrol vehicle. Upon approaching the intersection of S.R. 811 and Toney Penna Dr, Jupiter, FL 33477, I observed a brown Jeep traveling northbound through the same intersection and executed a U-turn and pulled in behind the brown Jeep. I confirmed the brown Jeep`s WV Tag (#8UM328), and observed the Jeep execute a right-hand turn from S.R. 811 onto Dickinson Dr, and strike the curb with the left front driver-side tire, jerk the vehicle to the right, execute a U-turn, and execute a right-hand turn to travel northbound on S.R. 811. Based on the information from Admirals Cove Security and the brown Jeep striking the curb, I notified Northcom I was going to conduct a traffic stop, and while following the brown Jeep, it executed a right-hand turn into the parking lot of 3900 E Indiantown Rd, Jupiter, FL 33477 (The Shoppes of Jonathan`s Landing). I activated my lights and sirens, and the brown Jeep came to a slow stop.

Upon making contact with the driver, identified as Melinda Meaney (W/F DOB: 07/31/1970), I advised Meaney of the reason for my presence, and observed Meaney`s cheeks were flush, and a strong odor of an unknown alcoholic beverage emanated from the interior of the vehicle. I advised Meaney I was notified she had a verbal altercation with the staff at Admirals Cove, to which she nodded in agreement. Meaney advised she was lost and was asking for directions, and advised she worked at the marina in the Bluffs. I requested Meaney`s driver license, and as Meaney attempted to locate her driver license,

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NOTARY PUBLIC / CLERK OF COURT / OFFICER (F.S. 117.10)

01/12/26

DATE

SIGNATURE OF ARRESTING / INVESTIGATING OFFICER

RICCI, MATTHEW (1277)

NAME OF OFFICER (PLEASE PRINT)

01/12/2026

DATE

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Spec. Notes:

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Name (Last, First, Middle)	Alias	Race	Sex	Date of Birth
MEANEY, MELINDA A		W	F	07/31/1970

PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT

she appeared visibly confused and unable to locate her driver license. While Meaney was searching for her driver license, Ofc. Banegas (ID #1278) and I observed an empty orange IPA beer can on the backseat floorboard. I requested Meaney`s name and date-of-birth to which she complied and I advised Northcom of the same. I approached the vehicle on the passenger-side and on the front passenger-side floorboard, I observed an open orange case of Voodoo Ranger Juice Force IPA beer, which has a 9.5% ABV (Alcohol by Volume) content, with two (2) empty cans accompanying it.

PFC. Tappin (ID #1212) arrived on-scene and advised he made contact with Admirals Cove Security who advised Meaney appeared intoxicated, refused to leave the premises, and then drove recklessly through the gate, but did not cause any damage.

Upon making contact with Meaney a second time, I verbally instructed Meaney to exit the vehicle, to which she complied. I asked Meaney if she had been drinking tonight, and Meaney advised she had not. I explained to Meaney when she was sitting inside her vehicle, I could smell the odor of alcohol from the inside the vehicle and now Meaney standing next to me, I could smell the odor of alcohol coming from her. I further explained to Meaney she had open alcohol containers in the vehicle, based on her driving pattern, her inability to locate her identification, and her repeating she was a chef, I advised she was showing every sign of inebriation. I asked Meaney if she understood what I had just explained, but Meaney shrugged her shoulders and did not give me any verbal response. I asked Meaney if she was under the car of a doctor or had any disabilities I should be made aware of, and again, Meaney shrugged her shoulders, then advised she was not. Meaney asked why I was asking these questions and I advised Meaney I believe she may be under the influence of alcohol and requested she perform Standardized Field Sobriety Tasks (SFST`s). Meaney proceeded to stare at me, not verbalizing any answer and I asked Meaney a second time if she would be willing to perform SFST`s to dispel the notion she was under the influence of alcohol, but Meaney continued to stare at me, refusing to answer.

PFC. Tappin was with Meaney while I was speaking with Sgt. Rhodes (ID #1091) and PFC. Tappin verbally instructed Meaney approximately three (3) or four (4) times to stand in front of my patrol vehicle. Meany would comply, but then would proceed to walk toward the front passenger-side of her vehicle. Meaney suddenly attempted to enter her vehicle on the passenger-side when PFC Tappin grabbed both of Meaney`s arms and pulled her out of the threshold of the front passenger-side door of the vehicle. Meaney immediately became belligerent by yelling, tensed her body, and pulled both arms away from PFC. Tappin. (Reference PFC. Tappin`s Supplement.)

While speaking with Sgt. Rhodes, Meaney began to scream. Sgt. Rhodes and I ran toward Meaney and observed PFC. Tappin holding Meaney by her wrists as she was actively trying to pull away. PFC. Tappin was holding Meaney`s left wrist with his left hand, pulling it across her body and his right hand controlling her right wrist. I grabbed Meaney`s

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NOTARY PUBLIC/CLERK OF COURT/DEPUTY CLERK (CIRCLE ONE)

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DATE

SIGNATURE OF ARRESTING/INVESTIGATING OFFICER

RICCI, MATTHEW (1277)
NAME OF OFFICER (PLEASE PRINT)

01/12/2026
DATE

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OBTS Number

PROBABLE CAUSE AFFIDAVIT
SUPPLEMENT

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Agency OR Number: FL FL0501700 | Agency Name: JUPITER POLICE DEPARTMENT | Agency Report Number: 5 | 4 | 26-000133

Charge Type (Check as many as apply): [X] 1. Felony [X] 3. Misdemeanor [ ] 5. Ordinance [ ] 2. Traffic Felony [ ] 4. Traffic Misdemeanor [ ] 6. Other

Special Note:

Name (Last, First, Middle; Alias)	Race	Sex	Date of Birth
MEANEY, MELINDA A	W	F	07/31/1970

left wrist with my left hand, then transferring her left wrist to my right hand. Meaney continued to tense up and pull away from myself and PFC. Tappin, and I again transferred Meaney`s left wrist to my left hand, grabbed my handcuffs with my right hand, and placed the handcuffs on Meaney`s left wrist. Sgt. Rhodes maintained control of Meaney`s left arm while PFC. Tappin maintained control of Meaney`s right arm while I placed the handcuffs on Meaney`s right wrist. Meaney continued to tense up and pull away from officers, squatted down, and when Meaney stood up, she kicked Sgt. Rhodes in his right leg with her left leg, then proceeded to knee PFC. Tappin in his left thigh with her right knee. While maintaining control of Meaney`s left arm, I placed my right foot and leg in front of Meaney`s left leg and drove her forward escorting Meaney to the ground. Meaney was rolled onto her left side, also known as, the "recovery position", and proceeded to scream, advising she would eat the dirt. Meaney was assisted to her feet and while verbally instructing Meaney so sit in the vehicle, she refused and I used my left hand to push her down into the vehicle.

Meaney was transported to 1210 S Old Dixie Hwy, Jupiter, FL 33458 (Jupiter Medical Center) for medical clearance and searched by Ofc. Gibbs (ID #1259). I obtained medical clearance and transported Meaney to 196 Military Trl, Jupiter, FL 33458 (Jupiter Police Department) for processing.

I requested Meaney give a breath sample, but she refused, and I proceeded to read Implied Consent. Meaney advised she did not understand, so I explained to Meaney in Laymans Terms if she refused to give breath sample, her driver license would be suspended. Meaney advised she still refused and invoked her right to council at 2329 hours.

Based on my observations and investigation, Meaney was placed under arrest at 2147 hours.

I have probable cause to charge Melinda Meaney who did actually and intentionally strike Sgt. Brandon Rhodes who was engaged in the lawful performance of a duty and while Melinda Meaney knew that Sgt. Brandon Rhodes was a law enforcement officer, contrary to Florida Statute 784.03(1) and 784.07(2)(b). (3 DEG FEL)

I have probable cause to charge Melinda Meaney who did actually and intentionally strike PFC.. Kevin Tappin who was engaged in the lawful performance of a duty and while Melinda Meaney knew that PFC. Kevin Tappin was a law enforcement officer, contrary to Florida Statute 784.03(1) and 784.07(2)(b). (3 DEG FEL)

I have probable cause to charge Melinda Meaney who did knowingly and willfully resist, obstruct, or oppose PFC. Kevin Tappin, a law enforcement officer of the Jupiter Police Department, in the lawful execution of a legal duty, by doing violence to the person of such officer, contrary to Florida Statute 843.01. (3 DEG FEL)

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Gibbs 1259
NOTARY PUBLIC / CLERK / DEPUTY CLERK / OFFICER PROCESSING

01/12/26
DATE

SIGNATURE OF ARRESTING / INVESTIGATING OFFICER

RICCI, MATTHEW (1277)
NAME OF OFFICER (PLEASE PRINT)

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1 Arrest 3 Request to Withdraw
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Statute Codes:

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Name (Last First Middle)	Alias	Race	Sex	Date of Birth
MEANEY, MELINDA A		W	F	07/31/1970

PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT

I have probable cause to charge Melinda Meaney who did drive while under the influence of alcoholic beverages and was affected to the extent that her normal faculties were impaired; contrary to Florida Statute 316.193(1). (1 DEG MISD)

I have probable cause to charge Melinda Meaney was intoxicated in a public place and caused a public disturbance, contrary to Florida Statute 856.011(1). (2 DEG MISD)

Photographs were taken of Meaney and uploaded to evidence.com and Meaney`s vehicle was towed and turned over to Kauff`s towing.

Meaney was transported and turned over to Palm Beach County Jail without incident.

My Body Worn Camera was utilized for this incident.

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NOTARY PUBLIC / DEPUTY CLERK / JUDGE

01/12/26
DATE

SIGNATURE OF ARRESTING / INVESTIGATING OFFICER

RICCI, MATTHEW (1277)
NAME OF OFFICER (PLEASE PRINT)

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DATE

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PALM BEACH COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
DUI TESTING FACILITY
INFORMATION SHEET

PBSO CASE # _____ PBSO ZONE _____

AGENCY CASE # 26000133 CRASH CASE # _____

TIME OF STOP/CRASH 2108 DATE 01/11/2026 DAY Sunday

SUBJECT'S NAME Meaney (LAST) Melinda (FIRST) A (MID) RACE W SEX F

HGT 5'07" WGT 120 DOB 07/31/1970

LOCATION 3900 E Indiantown Rd, Jupiter, FL 33477

ARRESTING OFFICER'S NAME & ID Matthew Ricci 1277 AGENCY Jupiter PD

DIVISION: _____

NOTIFIED BY COMMD Yes

ARRIVAL AT FACILITY _____

ARREST TIME 2147

BREATH RESULTS:

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

4) _____

TESTING OFFICER'S ID _____ PBSO VIDEOTAPE # _____

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WITNESS LIST

CASE NUMBER: **26000133**

ARRESTING OFFICER: **Matthew Ricci**

ADDRESS: **196 Military Trl. Jupiter, FL 33458**

PHONE NUMBERS (HOME): _____ (WORK): **561-746-6201**

CAN TESTIFY TO: **PC - Traffic Stop. Investigation. Response to Resistance. Arrest**

NAME: **Kevin Tappin**

ADDRESS: **196 Military Trl. Jupiter, FL 33458**

PHONE NUMBERS (HOME): _____ (WORK): **561-746-6201**

CAN TESTIFY TO: **PC - Tráffic Stop. Investigation. Response to Resistance. Arrest**

NAME: **Brandon Rhodes**

ADDRESS: **196 Military Trl. Jupiter, FL 33458**

PHONE NUMBERS (HOME): _____ (WORK): **561-746-6201**

CAN TESTIFY TO: **PC - Traffic Stop. Investigation. Response to Resistance. Arrest**

NAME: **Michael Goldstein**

ADDRESS: **9126 SE Deerberry Pl. Tequesta, FL 33469**

PHONE NUMBERS (HOME): _____ (WORK): **(561) 747-3024**

CAN TESTIFY TO: **PC - Sworn statement and interaction with offender**

NAME: **Bobby Reaves**

ADDRESS: **10348 Fox Trail Rd S Apt 504. West Palm Beach, FL 33411**

PHONE NUMBERS (HOME): _____ (WORK): **(561) 747-3024**

CAN TESTIFY TO: **PC - Sworn statement and interaction with offender**

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE NUMBERS (HOME): _____ (WORK): _____

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CAN TESTIFY TO: _____

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SUBJECT **Meaney, Melinda A** CASE NUMBER **26000133**

IMPLIED CONSENT FOR DUI IN A MOTOR VEHICLE

NOTE: READ ONLY THE PARAGRAPH APPLICABLE TO THE TYPE OF TEST YOU ARE REQUESTING.

I am now requesting that you submit to a lawful test of your BREATH for the purpose of determining its alcohol content.

-OR-

I am now requesting that you submit to a lawful test of your URINE for the purpose of detecting the presence of chemical or controlled substances.

-OR-

I am now requesting that you submit to a lawful test of your BLOOD for the purpose of detecting its alcohol content and the presence o chemical or controlled substances.

NOTE: READ ONLY IF THE SUBJECT DOES NOT COMPLY WITH YOUR REQUEST

I am **Officer Matthew Ricci** of the **Jupiter Police Department**

If you refuse to take the test I have requested of you, your driving privilege will be suspended for a period of one (1) year for a FIRST REFUSAL. Additionally, if you refuse to take the test I have requested of you, you will be committing a misdemeanor of the SECOND DEGREE if this is your first refusal, in addition to any other penalties which can be imposed by law. If you refuse to take the test I have requested of you, and if your driving privilege has been PREVIOUSLY SUSPENDED, or if you have been PREVIOUSLY FINED under s. 327.35215, for a refusal to submit to a lawful test of your breath, urine, or blood, your driving privilege will be suspended for a period of eighteen (18) months. Additionally, you will be committing a misdemeanor of the FIRST DEGREE, in addition to any other penalties which can be imposed by law. Refusal to submit to the test I have requested is admissible into evidence in any criminal proceeding.

SUBJECT'S SIGNATURE: **Read on Camea** **Meaney, Melinda A**

CONSTITUTIONAL WARNINGS

I AM REQUIRED TO WARN YOU BEFORE YOU MAKE ANY STATEMENTS THAT YOU HAVE THE FOLLOWING RIGHTS:

You have the right to remain silent and not answer any questions.

Any statement must be freely and voluntarily given.

You have the right to the presence of a lawyer of your choice before you make any statement and during any questioning.

If you cannot afford a lawyer, you are entitled to the presence of a court appointed lawyer before you make any statements and during any questioning.

If at any time during the interview you do not wish to answer any questions, you are privileged to remain silent.

I can make no threats or promises to induce you to make a statement. This must be of your own free will.

Any statement can and will be used against you in a court of law.

SUSPECT'S SIGNATURE: **Read on Camera** **Meaney, Melinda A**

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26000133

STATE OF FLORIDA
AFFIDAVIT OF REFUSAL TO SUBMIT TO
BREATH TEST

I, **Officer Matthew Ricci**, a duly certified Law Enforcement or Correctional Officer, am a
(Name of Officer reading Implied Consent Warning)
member of **Jupiter Police Department**, and I do swear
(Name of Law Enforcement Agency)
or affirm that on or about the **11th** day of **January**, 20 **26**, at **2329** ☑PM ☐AM
DRIVER **Melinda** (FIRST NAME) **A** (MIDDLE OR MAIDEN NAME) **Meaney** (LAST NAME)
DL = **22167839**, state of **Pennsylvania**, was placed under lawful arrest for
the offense of **DUI** by **Officer Matthew Ricci** (Name of Arresting Officer) and
issued citation # **AJL748E**

That on or about the **11th** day of **January**, 20 **26** at **2329** ☑PM ☐AM
in **Palm Beach** County.

I requested that the driver submit to a **BREATH** test for the purpose of determining its alcohol content. I informed the driver that the refusal to submit to such test would result in the suspension of his or her driving privilege for a period of one (1) year for a first refusal, and that he or she commits a misdemeanor of the second degree by so refusing. Additionally, I informed the driver that the refusal to submit to such test would result in the suspension of his or her driving privilege for a period of eighteen (18) months if his or her driving privilege had been previously suspended, or if he or she had been previously fined under s. 327.35215, F.S., for refusing to submit to a breath, urine, or blood test, and that he or she commits a misdemeanor of the first degree by so refusing. Nonetheless, the driver refused to submit to the test requested.

Signature of Law Enforcement Officer or Correctional Officer

THE AFFIDAVIT MUST BE NOTARIZED OR ATTESTED TO (s. 117.10, F.S.)

The foregoing instrument was sworn and subscribed before me
Gibbs 1259
Signature of Attesting Officer

(AFFIX SEAL)

The foregoing instrument was sworn and subscribed before me this **12th** day of **January**, 20 **26** by **Officer Matthew Ricci 1277** who is personally known to me or who has produced _____ as identification.

Notary Public _____

Title **Police Officer**
Date **01/12/2026**

Note: Mail or hand deliver to the designated Bureau of Administrative Reviews office, Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, with the driver's license, the appropriate copy of the UTC, and the probable cause affidavit

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Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office

Florida State Statute Exemption Sheet

	X	Florida State Statute	Description	Page Number(s)
L/E Exemptions	☐	119.071(4)(c)	Undercover personnel	
	☐	119.071(2)(e)	Confession	
Public Info. Exemptions	☐	FL Const. Art. I, s. 16(b)(5)	Marsy's Law – victim information shall be redacted. The term "victim" also includes the victim's lawful representative, the parent or guardian of a minor, or the next of kin of a homicide victim. The term "victim" does not include the accused (ref. page 99 of the CRTM for additional information)	
	☐	119.071(2)(j)	Home/employment telephone number, home/employment address, or personal assets of a person who has been the victim of sexual battery, aggravated child abuse, aggravated stalking, harassment, aggravated battery or domestic violence	
	☐	119.0712(2)	Personal information contained in a motor vehicle record	
	☐	316.650(11)	Driver information contained in a uniform traffic citation	
	☐	119.071(4)(d)2.a.	Home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth, and photographs of active/former LE personnel, spouses, and children	
Florida Rules of Judicial Administration 2.420	☒	(iii) 119.0714(1)(i)-(j), (2)(a)-(e)	Social Security, bank account, charge, debit, and credit card numbers	2
	☐	(xii) 741.30(3)(b)	The victim's address in a domestic violence action on petitioner's request	
	☐	(xiii) 119.071(2)(h), 119.0714(1)(h)	Protected information regarding victims of child abuse or sexual offenses	
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